

"HONESTY" WITHOUT COMPASSION AND UNDERSTANDING IS NOT HONESTY, BUT SUBTLE HOSTILITY.—Rose N. Franzblau

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For 342 ex-Boise workers it's the unemployment line

As members of Local 800 of the United Paperworkers International Union returned to work at Boise Cascade in Rumford this week, 342 of the nearly 1,200 union paperworkers were forced to stay outside the gates.

They were angry—at Boise management (which had hired replacement workers), at their union officials (who last weekend recommended accepting Boise's "final offer"), and at the 342 replacement workers who had accepted jobs as strikebreakers. "Boise is a low-life outfit (to work for)," commented one out-of-work paperworker.

The 76-day strike ended Sept. 14 when the paperworkers, by a 2-1 margin, voted to accept the Boise offer after Boise guaranteed grievance procedures in a back-to-work agreement with union officials. Those voting against accepting the Boise contract were mostly those who knew their jobs had been taken by replacements during the course of the strike.

With so many angry and out-of-work paperworkers in town, Rumford citizens did not find the peace they were hoping for with the settlement of the strike. "This town is a time bomb," said one store owner, "and the fuse is very short."

Meanwhile, the state was busy processing unemployment claims from the laid-off union members. Jean-Marie Caterina, an assistant to the commissioner of the Department of Labor, told *The Citizen*, "We're hoping that starting next week checks can begin to be handed out."

She said most of the workers had applied for benefits during the course of the strike, although there was no chance of receiving benefits at that time. "We cannot (by law) pay for a work stoppage,"

she said. (Unemployment benefits would be tabulated from Sept. 14, she said.)

"So far as those people who have been replaced, they will collect," Ms. Caterina said. Average weekly payments would be around \$130 and could last for 26 weeks, as long as the unemployed worker could prove that he or she was actively looking for a job. (During the strike, strikers were receiving strike benefits of \$55 a week from the international union.)

It was not clear that the 342 would be looking for other permanent work. Most seemed to be hoping that they would be hired from the preferential list that Boise officials said they would be placed on.

Meanwhile, some laid-off workers were still hoping that their union's charges that Boise illegally hired the replacements would be substantiated by the National Labor Relations Board. The union's attorney said he had re-filed charges last Friday against Boise—charges that had been withdrawn earlier this month.

One who went back; two who lost their jobs

With union ratification of the contract a week-and-a-half ago, striking paperworkers began returning to work following re-orientation sessions with Boise managers.

This week, most of those who still had jobs to return were at work. But there were still 342 others, whose former jobs had been taken over by permanent replacements hired by Boise during the course of the 76-day strike. (Boise mill manager Doug Daniels pointed out it was only the third time that a paper mill in the U.S. had hired permanent replacement workers.)

One of those on the outside looking in this week was Orville Meissner, of East Andover. "I'm not going back, I guess," he said. His former job was as lead checker in the shipping department. He held the highest position in his department, aside from salaried personnel. He was due to retire next June.

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Vandals disturb peace

Vandals were active in Bethel Saturday night or early Sunday morning. A person or persons, as yet unknown, shot BB's into the plate glass window of the RFD #1 Restaurant on Main Street and caused an estimated \$700 damage to the car of Brenda and Larry Sweetser, of Mill Hill, according to Police Chief Bob Stevens.

In what he believed to be an unrelated incident, the car of Debbie Mills was also peppered with BB's.

RFD #1 owner Brian Strickland said this was the second time this restaurant has been the target of vandals. He said a few irresponsible people are disturbing the peacefulness of the town and creating a bad image for the entire town.

PLANNING BOARD MEETS

The Bethel Planning Board will meet tonight (Wednesday) at the ambulance garage, at 7 p.m.

The developers of the planned Eden Ridge subdivision are expected to present additional information to the board.

HANOVER TOWN MEETING

The annual town meeting is scheduled for Sept. 29, 7 p.m. at Hanover Town House.

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THE TEACHERS AND PARENTS GROUP OF EBS/CPS kicked off their cooperative efforts for the school year with a dinner at the Telstar cafeteria last week.

G-W lakes association comes closer to reality

Organizers of a lakes association in Greenwood-Woodstock were buoyed by the good turnout at an organizational meeting last Saturday morning in the Woodstock town hall. About two dozen people showed up for the meeting—about the same number (but different people) as showed up for a meeting earlier in the summer.

Organizers hope to contact all shorefront property owners by letter this coming spring and have a larger meeting around Memorial Day.

Greenwood organizer Mary Stone said she has already identified 250 shorefront property owners on Greenwood's nine ponds. Over 75 percent of the owners live out-of-state, she said.

The reason for wanting to organize a lakes association, she said, is to preserve the cleanliness and purity and beauty of the lakes and ponds in Greenwood and Woodstock. "These lakes we have will not always be as they are today," she said, adding that it was imperative for the two communities—not just the shorefront property owners—to set up regulations designed to preserve the quality of the lakes.

She cited Songo Pond as a body of water that has been allowed to deteriorate through lack of preventive measures. "Most people are unaware about what can happen to spoil a pond," she said.

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MSAD #44 Directors' meeting

The SAD #44 Board of Directors met in regular session at the Andover Elementary School on Monday evening of this week.

Marguerite Graham of Bethel made a presentation to the directors concerning the efforts and plans of the Mahoosuc Arts Council, an organization formed to bring programs on the arts and humanities of the area schools and community. The council has announced the following events: Kitchen Sink Mime, Oct. 9, a.m. at Telstar, evening at Gould Academy; Jim Scott, Oct. 28-30, mornings in the elementary schools, Thursday evening at Gould; Mandala, Nov. 22, evening at Telstar; Pennington Puppets, April 10 or 11, at Telstar and Gould.

The directors approved the appointment of Carol O. Hathaway as a district bus driver on the Mt. Abram-Tweddle Pond run. Mrs. Hathaway had previously been employed by SAD #44 as a schoolbus driver for 7½ years. The resignation of Roy S. Silver as an industrial arts instructor at Telstar High School was accepted, effective at the close of the current school year. It is Mr. Silver's plan to enter retirement.

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W. Paris residents meet again tonight on bank's closing

Officials of the Bethel Savings Bank will host a public forum tonight (Wednesday), at the Agnes Gray School gym, at 7 p.m., to explain why they are going to close their branch in West Paris and serve the community from a new branch to be opened in South Paris.

West Paris residents have been protesting the closure of the branch since they learned of it from newspaper reports. (The story appeared first in *The Citizen*, Sept. 10.) At a meeting organized by West Paris

Opinions

A new tune

Bob Boose is whistling a new tune these days. If you will recall, Boose was Gov. Joseph E. Brennan's commissioner of education. He was largely responsible for designing and shepherding through the Legislature a school-reform package that included, among other things, new high school graduation requirements effective for the class of 1989. Students in that class will have to take a year of fine arts, two years of mathematics, two years of science, a year of social studies, a half-year of health and some computer study, in addition to the requirements that already were in place. The price tag for local school systems to implement this reform has been estimated at \$2.5 million.

Now Boose has been reincarnated in the new form of a local-control advocate in New Jersey where he is deputy executive director of the New Jersey School Boards Association. It's to be expected he might have a slightly different perspective than he had as a commissioner of education catering to the political hysteria that surrounded the nation's schools a couple of years ago. But what should Mainers—or New Jerseyites—make of his 180-degree philosophical turnaround?

In response to a proposal by the New Jersey commissioner of education to increase high school graduation requirements, Boose testified earlier this summer, "Where is the research supporting (additional course and credit requirements)?... We have read the same excellence reports they have, and we know of no cause-and-effect relationship which demonstrates that increased numbers of state-mandated courses and credits have a (beneficial) effect on student achievement."

Boose said the proposed requirements—which included an additional year each of social studies, mathematics and science—were "too academically oriented." He suggested they would cause students to drop out of school, reduce opportunities to take vocational courses, and do nothing for college-bound students, who already are regulated by college-entrance requirements.

"The key to improving educational excellence is what students learn, not how many courses they take," said Boose. Curricula options should be left up to school boards, he concluded.

Surely there are more than a few lawmakers and school board members in Maine who should be asking themselves, Why didn't Commissioner Boose tell us all this two years ago? We hope that the former commissioner's chameleon-like behavior is the exception and not the rule, and that the majority of state and local school administrators argue such issues from the depths of their beliefs about what is in the best interests of their students, rather than who is providing their paychecks.

Mainers will justifiably have some questions about their much-ballyhoed school-reform package—a centerpiece of the Brennan administration—just knowing that former Commissioner Boose didn't really believe in all that stuff to begin with. Or is it the other way around, and he doesn't believe in anything he's telling people in New Jersey?

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THIS WEEK AT THE Moses Mason House

All members and friends of the Bethel Historical Society are reminded that the monthly meeting will be held on Thursday, Oct. 2, in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House beginning at 7:30 p.m. The program will feature the annual "What's It?" Anyone with an unusual item is encouraged to bring it to the meeting for exhibit and discussion. Following this portion of the meeting, a film "A Glorious System of Things," a new film from Colonial Williamsburg, will be shown. Set entirely in the 18th century, the film shows modern audiences their colonial counterparts' response to the wonders of science—the power of electricity, the properties of vacuum, and, for some, their first enlightenment about the universe through astronomy. Anyone interested in attending this program is cordially invited to do so.

Rev. Don McAllister of Norway, a life member of the Bethel Historical Society, recently presented the society with a typescript list of all burials in Riverside and Riverside Annex cemeteries in South Paris. These records are now available to researchers in the society's Eva Bean Research Room.

Discipline problems in schools are really nothing new as this letter of an expelled Gould Academy student appealing to the Board of Trustees for reinstatement in June 1854 illustrates: "Whereas I have been expelled from this institution for violating its rules and regulations, and hoping to get back again I take this method not to apologize nor make excuses, but to make a frank and open acknowledgement of rules which I have broken. I am guilty of using profane language too often and have played cards once only this term and have not attended Church very regular, have visited the rooms of others & the tavern on the sabbath & perhaps have made too much noise in the streets. I have left town once without permission of the teacher & that is all I think that I am guilty of & now I promise if taken back that I will comply with any reasonable rules and regulations of the institute & if I am not taken back I shall sure think that I have entirely done my duty & all anyone can do. As for the tongue (of the Academy bell) I was not engaged in the transaction at all and did not know when it was done nor

Testimonial dinner to honor 'Norm' Ferguson

The Oxford County Republican Committee will honor Norman K. Ferguson, Sr., of Hanover at a dinner Friday, Sept. 26, in South Paris.

Mr. Ferguson was born in 1901 in St. Esprit, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia. He has worked all his life at a variety of jobs including chauffeur, insurance agent, construction worker, and as a mill worker for the Oxford Paper Company in Rumford. In 1932 he married Hazel Merrill and the Fergusons have four children, a son and three daughters.

In 1952 and again in 1954 he was elected to the Maine State House of Representatives and then went on to serve four terms in the Maine State Senate. The Maine legislature also elected him three times, in 1957, 1959, and 1971, to serve as state treasurer. From 1951 to 1984 Norm also served as a selectman for the town of Hanover.

Noted for his fund-raising ability, he acted as the Republican finance chairman for Oxford County and was always known to exceed his quota.

The dinner will be held at the American Legion Hall on Church Street in South Paris with a social hour to begin at 8 p.m. Roland Sutton of Norway will act as master of ceremonies and interested people should contact their Republican town chairman for tickets.

ROUND ROBIN SOCIAL NIGHT

A social night for all Round Robin Bridge players and any who plan on joining the group this winter will be held at Joan and Norman Putnam's, Main Street, Bethel on Friday night, Sept. 26 at 7:30 p.m.

There will be discussions, and ideas and election of officers. Following the business meeting, contract bridge will be played. Snacks will be served (byob). For the convenience of Joan and Norm, please let them know if you plan to attend 824-7232.

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Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

Those of us involved in the \$1.5 billion vacation and recreation industry in Maine can now reflect on the past summer's activity.

Blame it on the weather, blame it on dollar value abroad, blame it on depressed international airfares but the fact is, as it always has been, there were a lot of hotel rooms, seats in restaurants and tourist attractions that did not sell to capacity.

Many of us in the business have felt that the state's modest efforts to support that \$150 million annual revenue source are simply not enough. Not enough funding, people or organization to compete with neighboring New England states whose efforts to attract tourism are heralded compared to Maine's.

The candidate for governor who seems to most clearly understand the growth potential of our industry and therefore growth in revenue for the state is Jock McKernan. While all candidates at all levels pay lip service to supporting this, Maine's second largest industry, McKernan has put teeth into his support.

His specific plans involve a better organization with better planning and substantially increased resources to be targeted toward generating more state revenue from the vacation/recreation industry.

He means business and has taken the time to understand the industry's potential for growth, its positive impact on the state's economy and the kind of program required to make the industry flourish.

Urge all Maine residents, particularly the 40,000 or so employed full time in the tourism industry, to take the time to understand Jock McKernan's commitment in this area.

Richard D. Raso
Proprietor
The Bethel Inn & Country Club

Personal safety highlighted in adult ed.

The SAD #44 Adult and Community Education program in offering several courses this fall which relate to safety. These include a 3-session class in CPR, a 6-week class in Hunter Safety, and a 2 week class in Defensive Driving. Adult and Community Education Director Cathy Newell emphasized that these classes are open to students as well as adults.

The CPR class will be held at Telstar Regional High School on Thursdays from 7-9 starting Sept. 25, taught by Florence Merrill. The life-saving skill of cardiopulmonary resuscitation is easy to learn and can be an essential in an emergency, prior to the arrival of trained medical personnel. The class allows for ample practice on both the adult and infant dummies. The class is designed for those who wish to learn this technique, however anyone who is in need of recertification may arrange to complete this during the class.

Telstar's Levi Brown will be the instructor for the Hunter Safety class which will be held at Telstar on Thursday nights from 6:30-8:30. This class is mandatory for all new license holders, and includes all phases of safe use of firearms, including range practice.

The Bureau of Safety's Defensive Driving course will be held at Telstar on Oct. 7, 9, 14, and 16 under the supervision of Eldon Bartlett. This class is worth 5 license points to those who complete the four sessions. Some insurance companies offer reduced premiums for successful completion, and the class is an excellent complement to the traditional driver education for the beginning driver. The class will be held from 6:30-9. Missed sessions will be made up within one year without loss of credit.

To enroll, or for further information, call the SAD #44 Adult and Community Education, 824-2780.

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East Bethel

By MYRA FOSTER

Alder River Grange will meet at 7:30 Friday evening, Sept. 26, at the hall. Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Smith, Sean and Dick Smith; Scott Saunders; Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Lampher; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hallman and Heather; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Taylor; Mr. and Mrs. Uno Hallman; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bean, Staci and Jennifer; Mrs. Gloria Crockett, Aaron and Jason; Mrs. Esther Fuller, and Shannon; visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harrington Sunday, Sept. 14.

Mrs. Donna Bernard and Mrs. Wendell Edmunds were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harrington from Sept. 8 through Sept. 11.

Mrs. Jean Grover visited her mother, Mrs. Mildred Howe, is East Waterford and other relatives on Saturday, Sept. 13.

Stuart Twitchell and children, Tracy and Jeremy, were in Conway, N.H., Sept. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wojtysiak of Portland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erlon Bean, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge, over the weekend.

Mrs. Dorothy Graves of Bethel was a weekend guest of her sister, Mrs. Lillian Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harriman of Portland and Clayton Bartlett of Kennebunk visited the Bartlett Homestead Sept. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster of Andover visited me Sept. 11 and put up the curtains I got for my birthday. Mrs. Richard Stearns and grandson, Eric Westleigh of Rumford, Sept. 13. Richard Stearns got me some wood for the kitchen stove Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Warren Smith of Locke Mills took Albert Foster for a ride up to Gorham, N.H., Sunday of last week.

On Monday the cows got out of the pasture and Albert called Warren Smith to help him get them in and fix the fence.

Richard D. Raso
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WORLDWIDE MINISTRIES

REPORTED AT LOCAL CHURCH

Missionary activity has not stopped in the Philippines even during recent political events. Christian and Missionary Alliance missionary Darleen Beaurier, will be at the Bethel Gospel Center, Route 26, Bethel, to tell about her experiences there and report on the work she has done during the past 14 years.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance has ministered in the Philippines for 25 years. It has been steady growth during the most recent years. Part of that growth, says Ms. Beaurier, is on the university campus. She serves as the regional director of metro Manila PSALM—Philippine Student Alliance Lay Movement. "The ministry has become more stable in the last four years," she says. "We are now ministering on nine campuses. We started on two."

Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services Sept. 25-28; Thursday and Friday evenings at 7 p.m., and Sunday at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

who were Mr. and Mrs. Hagel Johnson from Gardiner and Christine Kimball from Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Otero-Otero are back in school teaching the youngsters. Ethan is in high school. Their oldest son was married in August I believe and he and his wife visited their folks for a short time. One daughter was also home during the class followed by a sing-a-long.

Felix Otero-Otero's crew have finished painting the house and shed of my buildings. It looks very nice.

It's time to pull in your tomatoes and other crops which the frost would damage.

Raymond Miclon is working on the interior of his new home in Buckfield. He is getting anxious as cold weather is on its way. It looks like an early winter which is too bad. Snow Tuesday morning (Sept. 16) on some of the ski areas, they said.

Monday I went to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Young's cottage on Christopher Lake and had dinner with them and their guests

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W. PARIS RESIDENTS MEET

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base has shifted from this area to South Paris, Norway and Oxford," he said. "We love the village and we had a commitment to it, but we can't get the rest of the area to come bank with us (here)."

This drew a sharp retort from a man in the audience who said, "It's alright for us to travel to South Paris (to a branch bank) but it's not alright for people in South Paris to come here—isn't that the way it comes out?"

President Delamater argued that the new branch in South Paris—on Rte. 28—will be bigger and offer more and better services than the West Paris branch. This argument also fell on deaf ears. People in the audience said they were satisfied with having a loan officer show up just one day a week.

Town Treasurer Gwen Ellingwood told Mr. Delamater: "I have been investing the town's money in your bank even though it wasn't the highest interest rate." But, she said, she withdrew \$85,000 of town funds after she learned of the bank's plan to move. "As long as I'm treasurer we won't do any more business with Bethel Savings Bank."

Earlier last week, angry residents sent a petition to the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, in Boston. The board must approve the closing of the West Paris branch and the opening of the South Paris branch. The petition was started by Mrs. Leon Poland Sr., who rushed it off to beat the first deadline for commenting on the impending move. "Had I had more time, I'll bet I could've gotten a thousand names," Mrs. Poland told *The Citizen*. As it was, in the few days of collecting signatures, she garnered 428. Explaining why she started the petition, she said, "I just thought I could do my little bit. . . If you lose your bank, what will go next? It's a nice little bank. There's a lot of elderly who won't be able to get to South Paris."

Despite the expressed feelings of the petitioners, Mr. and Mrs. Poland received a letter from a Federal Home Loan Bank official this week stating: "Please be advised that . . . we are unable to require that Bethel Savings maintain this branch location based upon the circumstances of its proposed closing."

Those circumstances, according to the official's letter, are the facts stated by Mr. Delamater: that the bank cannot afford to offer full-service banking in West Paris but could from a branch in South Paris.

When Bill Gibson learned of the letter he said, "It seems like a foregone conclusion (that the bank will close its branch)." Nevertheless, he and a committee still plan to write a letter of protest to the Federal Home Loan Bank Board. The board's final approval of the move is expected by the end of this month, according to bank officials. The move will be made in the spring.

Bethel Savings Bank is the third bank to operate a branch in West Paris. The Rumford Falls Trust Company was the first. It was taken over by the Maine National Bank, which in 1978, turned the branch over to Bethel Savings.

Bank officials indicated that the building currently housing the branch bank will likely be put up for sale.

CARD OF THANKS

Dear wonderful people,

Thank you so much for a very productive and prosperous weekend. You are all truly generous with your energy, time, talents, and wealth. There are so many people (many we don't even know personally) that contributed to our family in many, many ways. Since disaster struck us, it has been incredible to see a community band together so strongly to pick up the pieces. We will never forget how you helped us and please don't hesitate to ask us when you need help too. We are forever indebted.

The list of names we have of people that we know who have helped us goes on and on and on but we would like to mention two special people who have been the keys to the successful weekend. Charlie Reiss, we can't thank you enough for all that you have done as a friend who took charge of the house raising work party and helped accomplish way more than we had thought and hoped for. We'd like to thank also Roberta White for all the work she did cooking for and running the benefit supper for us at the Albany Church. We will always remember how you cooked a turkey for the work party and delivered it to us on the same day as the church supper in the midst of all the preparations you had to do for that. It is easy to say you are a person who gives of yourself 100 percent.

Thank God a million times, day and night, for all the love, generosity and service that many good people have in their hearts.

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ONE WHO WENT BACK...

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"What's a guy do when he's got 39 years in the place?" he wondered out loud as he assessed his alternatives. And he pointed out that most of the people replaced were older, experienced workers, who cost the company more in wages and benefits. "All the departments they replaced were older men," he said. "I think they picked the departments with the older people."

Dick Merrill, of Andover, is another experienced worker with no job to go back to. He also feels that the company is selectively eliminating the older, more experienced workers. "They've got senior people (laid off) who've worked there through the years. But they (Boise) don't seem to care," he said. He added: "Whether they want to screw around for six months to a year with those scabs (replacements) or whether they want to hire their experienced papermakers back and start making money is up to them."

Mr. Merrill—who has 23 years in the mill and was working on the #15 paper-making machine—sees the loss of his job as part of the company's strategy to assert its control over its workforce. "They've got 342 men and they're dangling them on a string, and I'm one of them. . . I would like to get back. I like my job. But Boise wants to be able to jerk our string. . . Basically all this boils down to is breaking the union. . . It all started when (President) Reagan got in office."

Both Mr. Merrill and Mr. Meisner voted against ending the strike. "I thought we could've beat them economically," explained the former.

But with the union leadership recommending acceptance of the contract, and with the loss of \$30 maintenance jobs a distinct possibility, the union—on Sept. 14—accepted the company's "final offer."

Both the Andover men who lost their jobs felt it was a short-sighted decision. "Why save their jobs (in maintenance) and lose ours?" asked Mr. Meisner. "At least we would've all got them back or nobody would've got them back."

The hard feelings caused by the 2-1 vote in favor of accepting the final offer still remain. Mr. Merrill said, "They (Boise) were trying to drive a wedge in the union, and they finally succeeded."

Harold Hutchins, of Andover, was one of those who voted to go back. He explained his change of heart, after voting in June to go out on strike. "People put all their faith in the union and it (the strike) didn't work out," he said. And he said there was more to it than just keeping the 350 maintenance jobs. "It wasn't just maintenance. It was to stop more people losing jobs." He added, "Nobody wins in a strike. Everybody loses."

Back at work, Mr. Hutchins said he felt somewhat uncomfortable, even though there were no replacement workers in utilities, where he works as a boiler engineer. (He's been at the mill for 22 years.)

Nevertheless, he was glad to be back at his job. "It was good to be back to work," he said. "It's a good job. Nothing in the area is comparable to it."

Mr. Merrill, looking back bitterly on what he lost, said, "I don't deny that we had a good situation, but we sacrificed for it."

N.E. and constitution series begins Sept. 24

The first session of New England and the Constitution reading and discussion series will be held on Wednesday evening, Sept. 24 (tonight) in the Bethel Public Library. Entitled "Shay's Rebellion and the Gathering Crisis" the session will also feature the film, "A Little Rebellion Now and Then," a documentary that explores the uprising of farmers in western Massachusetts against the Commonwealth as well as the conflicts between agrarian and commercial interests throughout New England in the Federal period. Shay's Rebellion, the notorious 1786 agrarian insurrection, proved the final argument for the establishment of a strong central government. The conflict posed fundamental questions about governing a republic, questions still argued by historians.

Sponsored by the New England Library Association and the New England Foundation for the Humanities, the series is free and open to all interested persons. Historian Stanley R. Howe, Director of the Bethel Historical Society, will make a brief presentation at each session and lead the discussion.

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TELSTAR FRESHMEN MET WITH PEER COUNSELORS for two days last week at Sunday River skiway to discuss problems in adapting to a high school environment.

BUDGET COMMITTEE AGAINST

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measure, said, "I know this is very popular with some people, but as we add more (police), the less we get from state and county."

The call for increased police protection began as a citizens' petition in August—signed by 157 residents—and was accepted as a warrant article by the selectmen. At the same time, however, the selectmen noted that the petitioned article called for doubling the police protection but didn't authorize enough money to do so. The amount in the petitioned article called for raising an additional \$22,000, but Town Manager Lynch calculated the extra costs of the additional protection authorized at \$31,000 for the October-June period, above the \$31,000 already allocated for that time frame.

The selectmen therefore inserted a second article into the warrant, asking voters to simply state whether or not they wanted to spend an additional \$22,000 on the police budget this fiscal year.

At their Sept. 15 meeting, the selectmen—on a 5-0 vote—recommended against both articles.

At their regular meeting next Monday night, the selectmen are expected to set Oct. 16 as the date of the special town meeting to decide the issue. Also expected to be on the warrant at that time will be the matter of the revised Comprehensive Plan. Voters will be asked to approve the updated plan, which has already been discussed at two public hearings.

WMNF to celebrate 75th birthday

The White Mountain National Forest is 75 years old, and will be celebrating with a Field Day on Saturday, Sept. 27. There will be events and entertainment the entire length of the Kancamagus Highway (Route 60, between Conway and Lincoln, N.H.).

Starting at 10 a.m. there will be field trips, demonstrations, contests, displays, guided hikes, and numerous other special events. Many additional activities are scheduled for the Saco Ranger Station at the Conway end of the Kancamagus Highway. The variety, suited for all ages, will include horse logging, snowshoe making, fishing, white water canoeing, hawk watching, history, and natural history hikes.

An event not to be missed are the woodsmen demonstrations by the Dartmouth College and the University of New Hampshire Woodsmen Teams. With few exceptions all events will be held rain or shine. Dress for the mountains! The fall foliage should close to peak color at higher elevations with bursts of bright color throughout the White Mountain National Forest.

All activities, displays, programs, demonstrations, and slide shows are free and the public is invited. A printed field day program will be available.

SAD #44 11th-grade test scores matched up with neighbors'

Below are the area results for the statewide tests administered to 11th-graders last spring. The average score in each test is 250. Each school district can be judged in comparison with districts similar in socio-economic makeup. These comparisons for Telstar were published in *The Citizen* two weeks ago. Below, the Telstar results are compared with the results from the neighboring school districts.

Subject	Telstar	OHHS	Dixfield	Mexico	Rumford
Reading	220	250	245	170	265
Writing	245	210	240	135	240
Grammar	200	220	265	160	320
Mathematics	205	250	245	160	260
Science	330	215	285	180	275
Social Studies	290	210	155	175	215
Humanities	245	230	255	155	235

The comparative results were presented to the school directors Monday night.

New figures show enrollment rising

With more complete enrollment figures tabulated, this fall's enrollment totals indicate that the decline in enrollments in the SAD #44 system has been reversed and enrollments are now on the way up.

Superintendent Dewaine Craig furnished the following picture of fall enrollments for the past 10 years:

1977	.....	1,315
1978	.....	1,336
1979	.....	1,327
1980	.....	1,313
1981	.....	1,246
1982	.....	1,201
1983	.....	1,186
1984	.....	1,200
1985	.....	1,170
1986	.....	1,180

The above figures were calculated after the second full week of school in the past 10 years.

In the totals for the past three years, published in *The Citizen* two weeks ago, it was reported that there was a slight decline this year. This was based on an incorrect figure for last year and was thus incorrect. In that article, the breakdown of figures by grades contained an error in the kindergarten totals. The correct kindergarten figure is 102.]

SENIOR CITIZEN MENUS

Monday, Sept. 29: Veal pattie with gravy, O'Brien potatoes, green beans, bread, pineapple.

Tuesday, Sept. 30: New England boiled dinner with ham, corn bread, applesauce.

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GOULD ACADEMY'S Amity Cutter (left) and Telstar's Kelly Jordan contend for the ball in Saturday's crosstown game at Telstar. Telstar's Jeannine Conant and Gould's Julie Young and Beth Hill converge on the play. The Rebels won the contest, 6-0, making them 2-1-1 for the season.

Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

The wind is playing this morning, scraping and blowing anything in its path. As I walked up the driveway it instinctively buttoned my coat against its snappiness. At the crest of the hill I turned to a view which opened to the west and north across the valley and ridges. Above the pond I watched an osprey performing its turns and soaring stunts overhead. It seemed to enjoy the unencumbered freedom of the sky as much as I enjoyed the windy freedom of my driveway.

On the ground the multi-colored tapestry of grasses and flowers caught the ground breeze. The whole lawn shimmered with each gust. They bent to the breeze, then straightened up to await the next breath.

A crackling grasshopper soared and landed on the driveway, disappearing into the background.

A blue beetle climbed to the top of a

grass stalk near the flower garden, then down the underside of another.

The ant hill was by the sheet where it appears each year. I once read an article about these tiny tireless foragers so they have meaning, because of what I read.

I stopped to see a white-breasted nuthatch make his way down an aspen, headfirst. He blended into the shadows. Slowly and deliberately he proceeded down the trunk testing every step for grubs under the bark.

I continued my walk around the driveway, my first since my fall 10 days ago.

Even that short distance, the mountain wind blew away the cobwebs from my mind.

Doris Hayes is visiting her sisters in Falmouth for a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holt, Ricky and Jenny, were at Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt's for the weekend and visited "Storyland" at Glen, N.H., on Sunday.

Ann Holt, Bethel; Edith Lang, West Bethel; Tara Durgin, Local; were also callers.

My callers were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks, Louvie Coffin, Avis Stellhorn, West Paris; Lucy Ridley, Norway.

I have an appointment for eye surgery on Sept. 17.

Cruegar Morrill, a former Gould Academy soccer star, will be entering his second season as a wing for the Southern Maine Vocational Technical Institute "Techs" this fall.

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By VIVA WHITMAN

The cool weather, along with the leaves turning color, makes one realize that autumn is here and the freezing and canning of garden produce must be done as soon as possible, before a frost hits the garden and the produce is lost to us. However, it is still so pretty to go riding around the country side and see the many fall flowers in bloom, showing their splendor to those who chance to look.

Russell took me to Lewiston on Monday to baby-sit with my granddaughters and while passing the nursery where one can get shrubs, trees and many other flowering items as well as those that don't flower, we couldn't but notice the beauty of the flower gardens planted near and around the nursery. They were so beautiful to look at and we both admired the beauty of flowers. I wish I wasn't so allergic to odors and scents from flowers, I would love to be able to work around them and make bouquets to decorate people's homes. As long as I can't do that, I just take my time and enjoy the splendid beauty and wonders around me.

Peggy was home for the past weekend and went to visit her daughter, Loretta Merrill in West Bethel; also went on Sunday to visit her daughter Myrna and was going back to Massachusetts from there. Myrna and her husband Bernard are moving back to town after spending the summer months at Lake Thompson, at their cottage. Peggy's other daughter, Kaye, along with her husband Otto, have been visiting with Myrna and Bernard White. They are enjoying their time here in Maine and having a good time to remember after they head back to Florida sometime next month. From all reports, they have had a good time traveling around the countryside and going to flea markets and antique sales and whatever they thought might be interesting. We will miss them when they go back to Florida.

Russell and I have been canning and

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freezing what they could and I made another batch of pickles. The house always smells so good when pickles are cooking and sending out their spicy smells for everyone to know what's cooking.

Anyone can tell what is cooking at our house if they go out back where the air exchanger is, the hot air from inside the house goes out one side of it and fresh air comes in the other side, making it easy to know what's cooking.

Had a call from my son's wife last night, Wednesday, and she wanted to

know if I would like some corn to freeze or can. I accepted the offer and Russell and I husked and cooked, cut off the cob and bagged the corn this morning. It is so good to get all we can in the freezer to help us out during the winter months. It was a brand of corn that we had never had before but tasted real good and will make good corn chowders or be good to just as it is. I didn't have room to put any away on the cob but will enjoy it just the same. Still have a few other vegetables to put away for the winter and am trying to do it as fast as we can. The cold tells one they better care for the foods if they want them. When the weather gets cool enough for it to be down to 35 or so, it makes one a little uneasy if

garden foods aren't being taken care of. I was pleased to get a letter from the Adult Education Director of SAD #44. She thanked me for writing about what an adult could accomplish from going to Adult Education and hoped it would help some people go instead of hanging back. I am all for it, not just because my daughter started the program in Auburn but I have learned a good deal of what they do for folks who may have a learning disability, also. I know one such party who wanted to get more education and in talking with Wynona, found that she might be able to get more education because of the programs they now have. There has been so much more training in these things in the past years that it is a blessing to many people. Even if one can't get a diploma from high school, any

increase in their education can be beneficial to them, whether in their job or just at home. Education is something that can't be taken from one and it is great for anyone to better themselves. If I could drive at night, I would like to take some courses myself. I would be able to write better by am glad so many people have been interested in my writing and let me know they read it. It gives one courage to go on and do what they can, no matter what the circumstances are. So, thank you Cathy for the nice letter.

Been to the doctors as usual and got to go again. That seems to be the life for me but I can't seem to change the way my back acts out and with some discs that give me problems, I expect I shall have to go more. It gives me a chance to see the changes that take place each week as we drive over the roads. The work over at Twin Bridges has taken a long time but it is going to be much better when fully completed. It seemed good this past Monday to be able to cross the bridge and not have wait for the light to change. It was gone and the bridge open for both lanes. They have made such an improvement in the Harrison road and we notice it and appreciate it. Of course, like others, we would like to see more roads that we travel, fixed and hope in the future some of them can be, but we also realize the cost that must have to be considered when it takes so long to complete a strip of road. We wouldn't be happy if we couldn't grumble a little; that is the nature of us poor humans. Take care everyone and keep warm on these cold mornings. It will be worse instead of better as we all know. It wouldn't be fair time if the weather didn't get cold and lots of times, rainy, would it?

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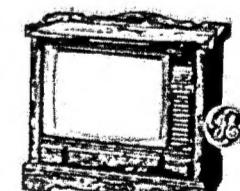


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Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Pat
Grenier have been Mr. and Mrs. Brad-
ford Jones of Bennington, Vt., and Mr.
and Mrs. Earl Silver of Freeport.

The John Kallises were in Berlin, N.H.,
Tuesday and quite amazed to find the
ground, cars, and trees snow-covered.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hindman of Wind-
ham were weekend visitors of Mrs.
Elmira Doyen, Tim and Rachel Buchanan,
who spent a few days there, have
returned to their home in Richmond, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dean, the former
Brenda Hindman, of Ruckersville, Va.,
arrived Friday night for a few days visit
with her grandmother, Weston Flint and
Winona Merrill of South Paris were Sun-
day callers there.

Mrs. Christine Kimball visited her
sister and brother-in-law in Monmouth
Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Dolph of Den-
ver, Colo., arrived Tuesday to visit her
sister and husband, Jack and Eleanor
Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bradford were
in Lewiston Thursday for a medical
check-up.

Mrs. Connie Hindman and her mother
enjoyed a trip to the Upton-Errol, N.H.,
area recently.

Dave Salway has been on vacation this
week doing some painting and putting in
his wood supply.

Although the thermometer showed
temperatures in the upper 20s and low
30s several mornings we fortunately
escaped frosts right here but other areas
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Locke Mills

By LORRAINE MILLS

The Greenwood Historical Society will
meet Oct. 1 at 7 p.m. at the society
building on Main Street.

The Locke Mills Union Church will hold
its harvest supper Saturday Oct. 4. Sun-
day School will begin at 10:30 a.m. Sun-
day, Oct. 5, for the new year.

My apologies for not getting my usual
news column in last week. I was called
out of town on business unexpectedly and
missed the deadline. My daughter says
that we are supposed to be busier when
we are older but I always do everything
differently, it seems like, and it's too late
to start over now. Besides which I'm having
too much fun. I think sometimes we appreciate
being able to do things more as we get older. We
are not done with life yet.

Michael Roberts, who was injured in
a shooting accident Tuesday (Sept. 16)
at his home is reported to be improving
at Massachusetts General Hospital in
Boston. Michael is the son of Mr. and
Mrs. Kenneth Roberts.

Recent callers at Charlotte Cole's were
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Billings, Helen
Chase, and Mrs. George Gibbs.
Loorine Mills accompanied Frances
Davis, Newry, and Vivian Chase, Bethel,
to Manchester, N.H., Sept. 5 and 6, to attend
Women's Retreat of the Assemblies
of God at the Holiday Inn there. Jeanne
Mayo was the speaker at the four sessions,
highlighted by a Friday evening
banquet and a praise and worship service
for the 529 women attending.

Marilyn Van Horn drove their van and
took Dot Chopping, Cindy Brown, Bea
Clark, Lena Louvat, Mary Theriault and
Ann Massey to the retreat from the
Runford-Mexico area.

The Greenwood Auxiliary had a busy
month. They put on the Senior Citizens'
dinner for the Woodstock group Sept. 4
and the Western Maine Firemen's

sion of the Women's Ministries for the
Northern New England District. Gene
Petty was the guest speaker and spoke
on the Missionettes, a world-wide organi-
zation for girls and young women
similar to scouting but with emphasis on
integration of social and spiritual values.

The Praise Assembly had started a
chapter for K-8 graders. Rev. Petty was
guest at a roast beef supper for the Men's
Ministries at the church building on
Roxbury Road. He spoke on the Royal
Ranger program available for the boys.

John Mills attended that meeting.

For those wishing to correspond with
Gina Teal and Cleve Bachelder from
Oregon are spending a week visiting their
mother, Mrs. Roy Martin and calling on
relatives in the area.

The Ladies Circle held their September
meeting Wednesday with 13 present.
They made plans for their fall sale in
November. They also plan to make
cookies for the cookie march at the
harvest supper.

Monday, Charlotte Cole, Helen Chase,
Vera Cross, and Ruth Dunham, went to
see Beatrice Farm in Bryant Pond and
call on friends.

Stephanie Fuller and Eric Wardwell
spent last week in West Covina, Calif.,
visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.
Maynard Hazelton.

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Chester Worthington of Brunswick passed
away during the past week. The post
sent flowers and a delegation, headed by
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Mrs. John Mills and Jennifer McAllister
attended the Dennison's puppet
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The Citizen's prime time TV guide

THURSDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 25, 1986

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Perspective	Dimensions	2000	Living Tom.	Impact: Earth		Odeon Cavalcade	Power	Dams Raid	
(5)	Hardcastle & McCormick	Coral Jungle		700 Club		Enterprise	G. Burns	Groucho		
(6)	Magnum, P.I.	Cosby Show	Family Ties	Cheers	Tonight Show 24th Anniversary Special		News	Letterman		
(8)	Newlywed	Dating	Our World	The Colbys	20/20		News	Nightline		
(10)	MacNeil / Lehrer Newshour	Living Wild		Speak Out	Motorsports	Mystery!	Minister	Mother		
(11)	Family	King's Crossing		Regis Philbin's Lifestyles	Dr. Ruth Show		Movie: "Snapshot"			
(12)	Be A Star	Fandango	Nashville Now		Country	Chase	Videocount.	Be A Star	Fandango	
(13)	Fortune	Jeopardy	Simon & Simon	Knots Landing	Kay O'Brien		News	Night Heat		
(16C)	Jeffersons	INN News	Tales	Tales	INN News	News	Rivers	H'mooners		
(18E)	Movie: "Xanadu"			Movie: "The River"			Movie: "Heatwave"			
(20G)	Soccer: Southern Connecticut at Boston University			Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Houston Astros			In Baseball			
(21H)	SpoCir.	SpeedWeek	College Football: Maine at Boston University				Auto Racing	SpoCir.		
(22I)	Sanford	All In Family	Movie: "True Grit: A Further Adventure"		Cousteau's Rediscovery	"The Deadly Hunt"				
(24K)	You Can't	Mouse	Donna Reed	Mister Ed	I Spy	Route 66	"Nicholas Nickleby"			
(26M)	Dance Party	Radio 1990	Jewel In The Crown		Gangster Chronicles	Gangster Chronicles				
(27N)	Shortstories	Kiri And Friends		Guggenheim	London Festival Ballet		At The Met			
(29P)	Movie: "Rio Bravo" Cont'd			Movie: "Cease Fire"			Inside The NFL			
(31R)	Movie	Theater	Disney Presents	Movie: "The Westerner"			Ozzie	Movie		
(32S)	Pyramid	Ent. Tonight	News	Chance	From Here To Eternity		C. Burnett	Woman		
(34U)	B. Miller	Benson	Movie: "The Silencers"		News		H'mooners	Magnum		

MONDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 29, 1986

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Asian Insight		Intruders	Wildlife	Harry Butler	Al Deming	Ballads		Tao	
(5)	Hardcastle And McCormick	Father Murphy		700 Club			Stock	Hardcastle And McCormick		
(6)	Magnum, P.I.	ALF	Amazing	Movie: "Adam: His Song Continues"				News	Carson	
(8)	Newlyweds	Dating	MacGyver	NFL Football: Dallas Cowboys at St. Louis Cardinals						
(10)	MacNeil / Lehrer Newshour	Ancient Lives	West Of The Imagination	Story Of English			Butterflies	Bluegrass		
(11)	Family	Call To Glory	Regis Philbin's Lifestyles	Dr. Ruth Show			"She's In The Army Now"			
(12)	Be A Star	Fandango	Nashville Now	Country	Chase	Videocount.	Be A Star	Fandango		
(13)	Fortune	Jeopardy	Kate & Allie	Together	Newhart	D. Women	Cagney & Lacey	News	Simon	
(16C)	Jeffersons	INN News	Tales	Tales	INN News	News	INN News	News	Odd Couple	H'mooners
(18E)	Movie	Headroom	Movie: "Enter The Dragon"				Movie: "Some Kind Of Hero"		"Bride"	
(20G)	Sox Digest	Baseball: Baltimore Orioles at Boston Red Sox					Wrestling		Baseball	
(21H)	SpoCir.	NFL Films	Magic Years	Matchup	Surfing		America's Cup		Surfing	SpoCir.
(22I)	Sanford	All In Family	Movie: "The Wheeler Dealers"				Movie: "High Noon"			
(24K)	You Can't	Mouse	Donna Reed	Mister Ed	I Spy	Route 66	"Seven Days" Leave			
(26M)	Riptide	Airwolf				Jewel In The Crown	Wanted	Hitchcock		
(27N)	Fame Is The Spur	Benjamin Franklin		King Cotton	Consultant		Oppenheimer			
(29P)	Movie	Fraggle	Movie: "The Bad News Bears In Breaking Training"			Movie: "Silverado"				
(31R)	Movie	Theater	Beaver	Boomer	"The Secrets Of The Pirale's Inn"	Danger Bay	Ozzie	Movie		
(32S)	Pyramid	Ent. Tonight	News	Chance	Movie: "Show Boat"		C. Burnett	Woman		
(34U)	B. Miller	Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Philadelphia Phillies				News		Magnum		

FRIDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 26, 1986

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Vista	Planet	Landscapes	Valley Of Ice	Volunteers	Escape Under Sail	Island Wildlife			
(5)	Hardcastle & McCormick	Campbells	Doris Day	700 Club		Jack Benny	G. Burns	Groucho		
(6)	Magnum, P.I.	A-Team		Miami Vice	Crime Story		News	Tonight		
(8)	Newlyweds	Dating	Webster	Sidekicks	St. Hammer	Belvedere	Starman	News	Nightline	
(10)	MacNeil / Lehrer Newshour	Wash. Week	Wall St. Wk.	Great Performances	C. Bragg		Manor Born	Butterflies		
(11)	Family	Two Marriages		Regis Philbin's Lifestyles	Dr. Ruth Show		Movie: "Hot Rod"			
(12)	Be A Star	Fandango	Nashville Now	Country	Chase	Videocount.	Be A Star	Fandango		
(13)	Fortune	Jeopardy	Scarecrow And Mrs. King	Dallas			News	T.J. Hooker		
(16C)	Jeffersons	Baseball: Detroit Tigers at New York Yankees		INN News	News	Odd Couple	H'mooners			
(18E)	"Real Genius" Cont'd	Movie: "Protocol"		Movie: "The Bride"						
(20G)	Sox Digest	Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox			Candlepin Bowling		Michigan			
(21H)	SpoCir.	NFL's Greatest Moments	Racing	Superstars: 1973 Men's Final		Auto Racing		SpoCir.		
(22I)	Sanford	Baseball: Houston Astros at Atlanta Braves		Sanford	Motorweek	Night Tracks - Power Play				
(24K)	You Can't	Mouse	Donna Reed	Mister Ed	I Spy	Route 66	"Stage Door Canteen"			
(26M)	Dance Party	Radio 1990	3's A Crowd	Oh Madeline	Sherlock Holmes	Sherlock Holmes	Night Flight	Night Flight		
(27N)	Missing From Home	Movie: "Simba"		Shortstories	O. Peterson		U.S.			
(29P)	Inside The NFL	Train Camp	Train. Camp	Boxing: Hector Camacho vs. Cornelius Boza-Edwards			Movie			
(31R)	Movie	Zorro	Five Mile Creek	Movie: "From Hell To Texas"			Ozzie	Movie		
(32S)	Ent. Tonight	Baseball: New York Mets at Pittsburgh Pirates		DETROIT COMEDY JAM			C. Burnett	Woman		
(34U)	B. Miller	Benson	Odd Couple	Baseball: Chicago Cubs at St. Louis Cardinals			News			

TUESDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 30, 1986

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Churchill's Few		Power	Kwai	Horton	Diary Of A Massai Village	2000	Living Tom		
(5)	Hardcastle And McCormick		Heil Town		700 Club		Chefs	Hardcastle And McCormick		
(6)	Magnum, P.I.		Matlock	Crime Story		1986		News	Tonight	
(8)	Newlyweds	Dating	Who's Boss?	Grow. Palms	Moonlighting	Jack And Mike		News	Nightline	
(10)	MacNeil / Lehrer Newshour		Nova	Cuba, In Doubt		Managing Our Miracles	McLaughlin	Austin City		
(11)	Family		Hometown	Regis Philbin's Lifestyles	Dr. Ruth Show		"A Time For Miracles"			
(12)	Be A Star	Fandango	Nashville Now	Country	Chase	Videocount.	Be A Star	Fandango		
(13)	Fortune	News Sp.	Wizard		Movie: "Agatha Christie's Murder In Three Acts"		News	Hot Shots		
(16C)	Jeffersons	Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at New York Yankees		INN News	News	Odd Couple	H'mooners			
(18E)	Movie Show		Movie: "Teachers"			Movie: "Eddie And The Cruisers"		Movie		
(20G)	Sox Digest	Baseball: Baltimore Orioles at Boston Red Sox				Candlepin Bowng		Baseball		
(21H)	SpoCir.	Baseball: Superbow				Wrestling		Karate Pro Champ	Arm Wrest	SpoCir.
(22I)	Sanford	Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Atlanta Braves				Movie: "Against All Flags"				
(24K)	You Can't	Mouse	Donna Reed	Mister Ed	I Spy	Route 66</td				



SCHOOL MEANS GETTING TOGETHER with friends on the playground, as these Agnes Gray youngsters show.

West Paris kids to have skating rink this winter

After last winter's to-ing and fro-ing on getting the skating rink built and filled, this year town officials are stepping in to make sure West Paris youngsters have a skating rink when winter arrives this year.

Town crews have begun digging out about one foot of earth at the rink site. This will be filled with garnet waste, donated by Industrial Garnet, to serve as

a base. Plastic sheeting will hold in the water. It is hoped that the deeper rink will prevent the water from disappearing every time there's a thaw.

The sidewalk work in town is about half finished, the selectmen reported. The work is being done by Lars T paving.

The selectmen are hoping for a good turnout at tonight's public forum to discuss the plan of the Bethel Savings Bank to close its branch in the village.

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Agnes Gray School

By MARTA CLEMENTS

The Oxford Hills Staff Development team sponsored a joint conference on Sept. 19 which included teachers from SAD #39, School Union 29 and SAD #61. The children enjoyed a day off and the Agnes Gray School faculty participated in an excellent workshop presented by Dr. Madeline Hunter on Mastery Learning. Dr. Hunter is associated with UCLA in California and held us spellbound with methods that can and do work in the classroom. We will consciously be applying many of her ideas in the years to come.

A date to remember: Monday, Sept. 29, will be a full day. School pictures will be taken during the day and an open house will be held in the evening from 7 to 8. From 7 to 7:30 teachers in grades K-6 will be in their rooms to explain briefly the programs and expectations of their particular grade level. From 7:30 to 8, the individual specialists would like to meet with any and all interested parents to explain what they do. There are some new faces this year, as well as many familiar ones. Mrs. Marilyn Brown is the kindergarten teacher; Mrs. Frances Alexander, grade 1; Robert Van Nest, grade 2; Mrs. Judith Loper, grade 3; Walter Litchfield, grade 4; Mrs. Martha Clements, grade 5; and William Koch, grade 6; Greg Grigsby, home/school counselor; Mrs. Cynthia Kircher, special reading; Mrs. Pamela Stock, learning disabilities; Mrs. Mary Sweat, speech; and Miss Sharon Leino, art.

Normal routines are well underway.

Our 24 1st graders are settling in. They have been collecting and studying soil samples to see and count the contents for science class. For social studies they have made pictures of themselves, their homes and their families.

Some third graders are displaying clay dolphins made under the guidance of volunteer Debbie Small. This was an enrichment activity done as a follow-up to a story about dolphins.

The fourth graders have begun their study of Maine history. Children are still held spellbound by the story of Don Fender and Lost on a Mountain in

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West Greenwood

By CAROLYN COLBY

Mrs. Mervin Buck and Mrs. Rose Duguay of Andover visited Rita Wilson, Saturday.

Howard and Mildred Emery visited Joe and Muriel Gilbert on the weekend. Mr. Emery is feeling better than he had been recently.

Irene Wilson has had a lot of company this week. There were: Harry Childs of SMH, whose patients are always pleased to see him; Judith Roy, Rumford; Lindy Wieden, Laurie Wilson, Scott Boudreau, Clayton and Mary Sweat, and Gloria Wilson of Bethel.

The community wishes to express its sympathy to the family of Eddie Capillon. Eddie and Nellie have spent many summers at the old home place in the Irish Neighborhood.

Mike Halacy, Milton, and Lee Barlow, Hanover, are working in Irene Wilson's winter woodpile.

Marc, Leslie, Nathan and Jenny Moore were in Lewiston Friday.

Florence Beck and Robert Deegan, Randolph, N.H., were down to visit Joe and Leah Deegan during the week.

Maine. All four graders in SAD #17 spend one ranking period studying Maine and they study regions of the state.

The fifth graders have begun tagging butterflies and have now seen the birth, or emerging, of the butterfly as well as the change from caterpillar to chrysalis. The fifth graders have also completed their first book reports—book reviews which have been sent to the Trumpet Book Club. It is possible that one will be chosen to be published on a future Trumpet Book Club order form.

The sixth graders are extending their computer skills, learning that homework is a part of life and welcoming back a classmate, Rijah Newell, who is recovering from hip surgery. Rijah will be on crutches for three or four months but seems to be managing very well.

Next time I'll report on kindergarten and second grade activities, too.

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Tri-Town Rescue

By CAROLYN COLBY

Tri-Town Rescue is sponsoring an advanced first aid course Tuesday and Thursday nights at 7 p.m. at the Woodstock Fire Station starting this Thursday. CPR will be the first three classes and may be taken by itself. Tri-Town needs more attendants to fill the gaps by others who have moved or taken jobs. Please consider helping the service by donating some of your time.

Several Tri-Town members are taking the EMT course in Bethel starting Sept. 29. Tri-Town wishes them good luck with the course.

Tri-Town extends its sympathy to Murad Sayen whose father died this week.

The auxiliary is taking a break in September from the busy fund-raising schedule. Plans for October include a dance by Northern Atlantic Oct. 11. The group will also sponsor a supper prior to the Old Parisians' dance Oct. 18 in West Summer.

BRYANT POND UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

"What It Means To Love" is the title of the Rev. Earle T. McKinney's sermon for Sunday, Sept. 28, at the Universalist Church in Bryant Pond. It is the fourth in a series of sermons about some of the common assumptions and beliefs that form the basis of Unitarian Universalism.

The choir will present special music for the service. Choir rehearsal is at 8:45 a.m. Sunday at the church.

Child care is available during the service which starts at 9:30 a.m. and is followed by a social hour at the church.

Paula Mills, of Bryant Pond, has joined the staff of Growing Thru Adoption, as full-time administrative assistant. Ms. Mills recently completed her B.S. in Business Administration from Westbrook College, with a concentration in Management.

West Paris

By MIRIAM INMAN

Guests of Mrs. Lena Mustonen during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Dana Bradford and Holly Owen of Hancock, N.H., and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bradford of Cheshire, Conn.

Ann Proctor and Ivan Jr., and Sid and Cynthia Scott were in Stratton last weekend.

The West Paris Historical Society met on Monday night with 24 in attendance. A potluck supper preceded the meeting. Milton Inman conducted the meeting in the absence of President Clarence Reid.

Ben Conant from the Cape Historical Society, South Paris was present and presented our society with some old books of interest to West Paris, which we gratefully accepted. Our program of historical Maine films had to be postponed until another time, as the projector had a bad bulb. The next meeting will be on Monday, Oct. 20 with Everett and Marian Chase on the supper committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Berry and Daniel were in Quincy, Mass., for the weekend as guests of Donna Berry.

Mrs. Vance Bacon returned on Wednesday after spending several days at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Kathy and Bob Bessette, Fairfax, Vt.

The next meeting and potluck dinner of the West Paris Senior Citizens will be held on Oct. 7. Robert Jamison, manager of Oxford County Tel. and Tel. will be present to explain about the changes coming up with the telephones. Gladys Ellingwood is to contact Sheryl Wilbur about the Ledgewood Memorial Home Auxiliary putting on the Thanksgiving dinner. She will also get in touch with the Summer Senior Citizens to see if they are interested in coming to the dinner.

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BASEBALL: All upcoming Red Sox Playoff Games and World Series Games

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West Bethel

By HARRIETT STOWELL

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Calman of Billerica, Mass., who were vacationing at their camp in Andover, visited Olive Head several times and took her on various scenic rides.

Hay preacher at the West Bethel Union Church last Sunday was Neil Wilson of Lowell. Mr. Wilson substituted for Rev. Rust who, along with Mrs. Rust, was on vacation in Nova Scotia.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell spent last Wednesday night with their son and wife, George and Mary Stowell of Falmouth. On Wednesday afternoon they all drove to Old Orchard to visit Ralph and Vickie Coulombe, former West Bethel residents.

Sylvia Akers of Natick, Mass., spent several days recently with her sister-in-law, Cassandra Perez.

Cassandra Perez, daughter of Ben and Roberta (Gilbert) Perez of Mexico, spent last Saturday with her grandparents, Arthur and Ruth Gilbert.

Pleasant Valley Grange held their annual harvest sale last Saturday and the sale committee wishes to thank each and everyone for helping to make it a success. The upcoming Grange meeting to be Thursday night, the 25th, will be installation of officers with Shelburne, N.H., Grange members acting as installing team.

Jane Hosterman returned home recently from visiting her sister in Kingston, Mass., for several days.

41st ANNUAL BIRTHDAY SUPPER AT ANDOVER SATURDAY

The Andover Ladies Aid Society of the First Congregational Church is preparing for their 41st Annual public birthday supper, to be held on Saturday, Sept. 27. The public birthday supper was held on Nov. 7, 1945, and has become a traditional happening—planned for, and looked forward to, ever since.

Twelve tables are decorated to represent each month of the year, with cakes decorated to complement each particular table. If you arrive at the supper and find the table for your birthday month is filled, just pop into some vacant chair at another table and enjoy the good food and fellowship that evolves from this annual celebration.

Due to increased attendance for the past several years, there have been cakes decorated to represent spring, summer, fall and winter, in addition to the 12 months depicted. Following is a list of the table decorators and cake makers for this year. The supper is under the direction of Dolly Jones and Laura Hutchins.

January, Helen Deanis and Franklin Poor; February, Jane Rich and Shirley Gammon; March, Ann Bishop and Jerry Marston; April, Bev Swan and Minnie Akers; May, Evelyn Bell and Laura Hutchins; June, Betsy White and Betsy Fisher; July, Robert Learned and Diane Cutting; August, Dotte Mills and daughter, Peggy; September, Liz Bedford and daughter, Debbie; October, Dot Campbell and Anne Fox; November, Judy Richardson; December, Linda Percival and Gertrude Percival. Summer, Betsy Belanger; Winter, Judy Michaud; Summer, Paula Smith; Fall, Betsy White.

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Andover East Andover

By LAURA HUTCHINS

A week of chilly mornings and nice days. Most of our flowers have gotten nipped by the frosts, but I see some in other folk's gardens that are valiantly hanging on and still looking pert and pretty.

Don't forget the public birthday supper at the First Congregational Church in Andover on Saturday, Sept. 27. The usual two settings at 5:30 and 6:15—a third setting if needed. Roast turkey, stuffing, gravy, whole potatoes, cranberry sauce, peas, carrots and baby onions, hot rolls, beverage and beautifully decorated birthday cakes are being prepared for your enjoyment. Come join us and enjoy!

Basil Hutchins, East Andover; Bonnie Hall and Maurice Palmer have all returned home from hospitals. Tylene Dewar, who suffered a broken back and other injuries in an auto accident a few weeks ago, was released from the hospital last weekend and is now home with her parents, Kathy and Gary Williamson in Andover. Kathy reports that she is coming along well.

Several people have seen moose and bears this week here in East Andover. I don't know how many bears have been taken by the bear hunters, but some are evidently preparing for the inevitable winter. As I sit writing this, I can hear the bear hounds yelping down back. Must be on a trail!

Mrs. Cecil Abbott, Andover, is a patient at Rumford Community Hospital where she underwent surgery on Thursday, Sept. 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Jones were among other supper guests this week at their daughter, Laura Piaulock's in Bethel, in honor of their granddaughter Sara's birthday.

The Andover Fire Department members were cleaning chimneys last Sunday. Ours wasn't that dirty, but we feel better knowing it is clean. If anyone would like to have their chimney cleaned, give Fire Chief Ken Dixon a call.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hutchins went to Norway to visit Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hodgkins Wednesday evening. Finding no one home we left Bonnie's birthday gift and cake and went to one of the local restaurants for supper. On our return trip we visited Mr. and Mrs. Preston Cobb and family at Bryant Pond. They have finally been able to get all the pines in front and in back of the house taken down. It gives them a lovely view of Mt. Abram and the pond. No more worry about a windblow bringing the pines onto the house.

A call from Muriel Whitney of the Bethel Area Health Center asks me to please put notice in my column of an upcoming Flu Clinic to be held on Oct. 9, at the First Congregational Church, Christian Education Building, Andover, from 12:30 to 2:00. In next week's column will be a listing of those who should not have the shots. If you plan to have a flu shot each year, mark your calendar for this date and come on out.

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MRS. GALLANT'S 1ST-GRADERS at Andover Elementary School recently received some pointers on how to use the library from Librarian Merilee Thurston.

Notes from Adult & Community Education

The Fall 1986 Teacher Orientation for the SAD #44 Adult and Community Education program was held on Wednesday, Sept. 17, at Telstar Regional High School, with 32 staff members attending. Adult and Community Education Director Cathy Newell conducted the session which followed a dessert and coffee social. Mrs. Newell welcomed the group, commenting that the SAD #44 program has achieved its reputation over the past 10 years because of the enthusiasm of talented individuals in the area and their willingness to share their skill or knowledge with others. She went on to present an overview of the SAD #44 program, including the adult high school completion, literacy, vocational, and enrichment components. Adding that many of the adults who have earned their high school credential got their start in adult education in one of the many enrichment courses, she stressed that all adult education staff members should be aware of the services the program offers and encourage students in the classes to participate.

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Most classes will start during the week of Sept. 22, with others beginning throughout the fall. To enroll, or for further information, please contact the SAD #44 Adult and Community Education office, 824-2780.

Small group sessions were held with Non-Fitzgerald, Adult Basic Education Supervisor, meeting with all diploma and learning staff, Roy Silver with personnel from the shop, Julie Daye and Rachel MacKay with teachers whose classes involve a project, and Cathy Newell with a group discussing methods of teaching adults.

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Classifieds

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1979 1/2 TON CHEVY PICK-UP at Brooks Bros., Inc.

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1977 F-100, 302 eng., 3 speed, new clutch, new muffler, \$1,000 or best offer.

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HERBAL NUTRITION PRODUCTS—for weight control, health and beauty. Maria Perkins, 824-2580

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12x20 2-BEDROOM MOBILE HOME with an 8' x 40' addition. Insulated is woodshod, refrigerator, stove, oven, \$6,000. 636-2152, after 7 p.m. Must be moved.

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ZENITH TELEVISIONS display for sale at Brooks Bros., Inc.

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APT. SIZE GAS STOVE and end heater, sink, a/c screens, storm windows, doors and Hoover vacuum upright. Old fashioned crew foot bathtub. 524-2860 after 6:30 p.m.

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1 FRANKLIN FIREPLACE, \$100. 1 Atlantic end heater, \$100. 1 woodstove, \$100. 1 woodburner with 5 h.p. motor, \$300. 1965 Scout and plow, minor good, body not so good. Tel. 824-2987. 37-38

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COMPACT dish antenna outfit, good reception, \$2,500. Kitchen cabinet set (Bassett), \$1,000. (60" china cabinet). \$700. Call 836-3578. Pleasant River Motel.

37-40

FIVE 9-volt batteries, fair to good condition. \$10 each. Robert Crane, Broad St., 824-2208. 37-38

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38-38

FREE KITTENS, 8 weeks old, male and house trained. Call 824-3291.

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PICK YOUR OWN APPLES starting September 15. Filledown Orchards, Waterford, off Routes 35 & 37. Open 9-5. Tel 583-4688.

38-39

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38-40

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Yard/Lawn/Porch Garage Sales

YEAR SALE — 6 miles up Rt. 20 from Bear River Cabins—dining set, window cabinet, oil furnace, misc baby furniture, women's size 10-12 clothes, baby clothing, misc household items. Saturday, Sept. 27, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

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YEAR SALE — Saturday, 9 a.m., beige house beside Bethel Fire Station. Clothing children's 10-12, some men's and women's, boots and shoes, books, child's sink/stovetop/oven.

38

Real Estate

AFFORDABLE COUNTRY HOME on 3 acres, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, \$10,000. Call 824-2114.

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The Waterford Congregational Church parsonage is for sale. Call 824-2191. For full details, call James Tyler, 583-4473, or write to Mr. Tyler, Waterford, Me. 04088.

38-39

LAND—Ideal property for a camp or hunting get away. Privacy with easy access to Bethel or South Paris. \$40,000. Giles Realty, 824-3211.

37-1

DOCTOR'S FAMILY NOT GIVING UP & still wants to buy a farm, land or lake/oceanfront waterfront land or estate. 817-371-0014.

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WATERFALL WANTED WITH 1 acre plus, for camp or home site. Mike Larney, 454 Prospect St., Franklin, N.H. 03235.

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CONDOS AND LOTS: Sunday River Ski Resort. Call us for further information. Giles Realty, 824-3211.

37-1

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16-1

For Rent

MAINE STREET REALTY has many customers looking for ski-rental's either seasonal Dept. Apr. or short term, vacations, weekends. Call Mary Jo at 824-2928.

38-40

WINTER SEASON RENTALS at Sunday River, 2, 3 and 4 bedroom condos. From \$3,000 to \$5,000 for season. Call Sunday River, 824-2187.

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CHAPMAN STREET—Large 2BR apartment, 1 1/2 bath, dishwasher, washer/dryer hook-up in basement. Immediate occupancy. \$350/mo. plus utilities. Call evens. 207-363-4609. 38-39

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2 BEDROOM HOUSE in the woods with privacy, in Bryant Pond. \$250/month. Call 665-2853.

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HOUSE FOR RENT OR SALE—3 bedroom farm house winter, 5 bedroom summer. West Bethel 1-207-836-3945.

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5 ROOM COTTAGE, fully furnished, cable TV, summer-winter, hunting/fishing. Call 817-251-3056 or weekends 875-3668. 24-25P

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Wanted

Miscellaneous

LOOKING FOR CHILDREN to babysit in my home Monday through Friday. Call 824-2499, ask for Lisa.

37-38

SEWING—Drapes, slipcovers, alterations, fashions, design work. Prompt service. Call Nancy Hansen, 824-3114.

37-40

CHILDREN—Kindergarten through third grade for after school art, crafts, and other activities program—Wednesdays, 2:30-4:30. Call Martha Brown at 824-2746.

37-38

WANTED—sewing to do, alterations and repairs in my home. Adeline Clough, Flat Road, West Bethel Tel 838-2575.

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WANTED TO BUY: Scrap metal. Home even-

ings and weekends. Raymond Chapman, 836-2585.

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RINSENVAC carpet cleaner, rug shampoos, sewer snakes, sump pumps, space heaters, at Brooks Bros., Inc., Main St., Bethel, 824-158.

37-38

AA BIG BOOK MEETING (closed), Sunday, 6-7:30 p.m. Community Room, Bethel Fire Station.

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AL-ANON, Wednesday, 8 p.m., Telstar Regional High School.

28d

WANT TO TALK? If you have a problem, or just need to talk, HELPLINE's trained staff is ready to listen. COMMUNITY HELPLINE can help you! 1-800-822-8255.

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AA Meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m., at Telstar Regional High School.

21d

BENNETT'S UPHOLSTERY: Home and office furniture, antique and modern. Call for free estimates, quality workmanship at very reasonable prices. 824-2396.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

At Andover...

Elderwood Manor Items

by Florence Hall

Correspondent Florence Hall has returned home after a week in the Rumford hospital.

Ester Thurston visited Dorothy Elliott and Bernice Glover.

Sylvia Akers, Natick, Mass., left a note at Florence Hall's while Florence was away.

Gertrude Hutchins brought Florence Hall home on the 16th.

Louise Powell, Hale, visited her mother, Alma Hewey.

Rosalie Harlow and Dorothy Bradley, Mexico, visited Gertrude Hutchins recently.

Riders on the mini-bus were Catherine McGuire, Dorothy Elliott, Bernice Glover, Elizabeth Sennett and Gertrude Hutchins on the 17th.

Thought for the Day:

Talking and eloquence are not the same. To speak and to speak well are two things. A fool may talk, but a wise man speaks.

Newry

By AMY HANSCOM

Susan Bowie was honored on her birth-

day Sept. 13, at the home of her parents, Owen and Sue Wight. Present besides the ones mentioned above were Jennifer and Christopher Bowie, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Brooke, Seneca and Amber, all of Newry; and Nancy Hanscom of Bethel. Birthday cakes were made by Susan's mother and her ten year old daughter, Jennifer.

The planning board will meet at the town office Oct. 2 at 7 p.m. The date has been changed to Thursday to allow members to attend a course on Land Use Planning on Wednesday. The change is only for this October meeting. Future meetings will be held on the first Wednesday of the month as they have been in the past.

Jason Berry had a birthday party at his home Sunday, Sept. 14. Present were his parents, Scott and Loretta and sister, Mandy, Francis and Helen Berry, David and Natalie Berry, Jim, Marjorie, Eric and Wade Osgood, Larry, Denise, Shawna and Heather Rodicker, John and Nancy Wight, all of Newry; Brad, Brenda, Katie, and Kurt Wight, Michael Wight, Ben Kellogg, Jeff, Sheila and Casey Fleet, Bethel; Jeff and Terri Littlehale, Stacie and Danielle, Bryant Pond. The cake was made by Aunt Terri.

President Dave announced the meeting of the Spanish Exchange Group, and the new weekly meeting time and place beginning on Oct. 14. Also, the new meeting time for the board of directors will be at 8 p.m. on the evening preceding the assembly. The next meeting will be on Oct. 6.

The program chairman was Bill Conner. His program consisted of a visit to the new Bethel Area Health Center conducted by John Head. John did a great job as tour guide. In spite of the weather the visitation was enjoyed by all.

Shirley Powell and Dr. Will Taylor were introduced by John Head. Shirley talked about the health center from formation to the present. The expansion of the service that will be provided to area citizens will make a large contribution to the health care needs of many. The new center will open for business on Monday, Sept. 29. An open house at the new

North Paris

By EVELINE B. VATCHER

We had a heavy shower Friday afternoon (Sept. 12) and a beautiful, many colored rainbow showed for nearly a half hour. Doris and "Root" Lawrence joined the Vatchers and Pinkhams and Arnold for supper and we enjoyed the news on channel 6 on the porch. That's when we enjoyed the rainbow.

We are sorry to hear that Ashley Allen has had a stroke. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher had a nice trip to Cape Cod and were gone three days. The first night they spent at a motel in Barnstable right on the water. The next morning over one hundred wild Canadian geese were feeding on the lawn. A sign said feed the ducks but not the geese. Joe took down a loaf of bread for the ducks. Joe looked up his cousin Henry Vatcher whom he hadn't seen for 40 years. Forty miles above Barnstable a tornado struck.

They went to the end of the Provincetown and they saw many, many condominiums and hundreds of motels. They spent Tuesday Night in Saugus, Mass., and Wednesday morning they headed for North Paris, and home. Joe picked five quarts of cranberries and he was happy. It reminded him of his boyhood days when he and his brothers picked the cranberries and their mother picked them over and they sold them to regular customers. They called on Joe's mother and took her some snacks and she was happy. Eveline has decided "no city life" for her. When it takes one hour to drive four miles bumper to bumper, it's a lot easier in the country on "Shank's Mare."

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Abbott joined Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Inman, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Inman and Mr. and Mrs. Sayward Lamb on a fishing trip to Baxter State Park. They left early Friday morning and will return Monday evening. Joe Vatcher will feed "Brute," the dog. All the Abbott family members were present at the reunion at Harlan's except Edna. Her car isn't too good so she didn't try to make it.

Kenneth Vatcher, Lynn, Mass., was in town Wednesday on business. He returned home Wednesday p.m.

Joe Kalinowski came to "Big Rock" Monday for the fall activities, including Fryeburg Fair, and the Tri Town supper and dance Oct. 18.

Perry Burgt brought Joe Vatcher's repaired channel selector for satellite Friday and are they happy. It's a good anniversary present.

The supper plans for Sept. 27 are well underway. Let's all go, it's like a reunion.

Callers at Lawrences: Joe Kalinowski, Marge Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher, Arnold Coffin, Francis Brooks, and Reta Charles.

Monday, Sept. 15, Doris Lawrence and Arnold Coffin took a birthday cake to their sister, Alice Goff, at Cozy Inn in observance of her 86th birthday.

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SCHOOL LUNCH MENU**SAD #44—WEEK OF SEPT. 29**

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Tuesday: Pepperoni pizza, potato chips, peas, fruit, bread and butter (optional), milk.

Wednesday: Hot dog, french fries, beet, hot cinnamon bun, milk.

Thursday: Hamburg gravy on rice or biscuit, green beans, apple crisp, juice, milk.

Friday: Fishburger, salad, fruit, cheese slice, raisins, milk.

Notes from the**Woodstock Historical Society**

Here is a description of an old-time coach ride—

"It was hot in the coach. The June sun was merciless, and the dust raised by the horses' hooves powdered the hedges, penetrated the coach, tickled the throats of the travellers, and set their eyes smarting. They had dined adequately at Brenton's off salt pork and malt liquor, but now they were crossing Staines Bridge and their thirst and peevishness more and more inclined them towards slumber. They were aware of the hardness of their seats of the jolting of the coach, of the increasing tedium of the journey... they sat, fingers crossed, guarding against ill luck, lest some mishap befall the coach on its way across the Heath."

—Jean Plaidy

The following are the officers of the Woodstock Historical Society for 1986-87: president, Esther Davis; vice-president, Robert Billings; secretary, Louisa Noyes; treasurer, Annie Crockett; trustee for one year, Ray Burnham; trustee for three years, Paul Billings; curator, Larry Billings; assistant curator, Louisa Noyes; chairman of the board of trustees, Paul Billings; and vice-chairman of the board of trustees, Ray Burnham.

BORN

In Concord, N.H., Sept. 9, to David and Cheryl (Sessions) Bownes, a son, Ryan Hugh Bownes.

MARRIED

In Bryant Pond, June 18, by Rev. Linwood Hanson, Rachel E. Mills of Bryant Pond, and Wendell B. Scribner of Harrington.

DIED

In Norway, Sept. 18, Irene Damon of South Woodstock, aged 57 years.

In Norway, Sept. 21, Stuart A. Thurlow of South Woodstock, aged 36 years.

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STUART A. THURLOW

Stuart A. Thurlow of South Woodstock died unexpectedly Sunday morning, Sept. 21, 1986 at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, where he had been admitted by ambulance.

He was born at Norway, on Aug. 9, 1950, the son of Leslie and Patricia Baker Thurlow. He attended Woodstock schools and was a 1969 graduate of Telstar Regional High School. He was a veteran of the Vietnam War, having served with the U.S. Air Force in Thailand. He married Eleanor Braden on Aug. 16, 1975.

He was a life-long resident of Woodstock and a former member of the Woodstock 4-H Club. He was interested in sports, and enjoyed hunting, fishing and trapping. He also played baseball for West Paris, Bryant Pond and Norway/Paris teams in the Pine Tree League. Mr. Thurlow was a woodsman, and had been employed most recently as a security guard at Elian III in Poland Spring.

Survivors include his wife of South Woodstock; a son, Neil, of South Woodstock; his parents of South Woodstock; two brothers, Bruce Thurlow and Mark Thurlow, both of South Woodstock; two sisters, Mrs. Leslie Hewlett of Seabrook, N.H., and Miss Lisa Thurlow of South Woodstock; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thurlow of South Woodstock; and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Mina Whittier of West Paris.

Funeral services are being held this Wednesday at 1 p.m. from the South Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church. Interment with military honors will be at Wayside Cemetery, West Paris.

Donations in Mr. Thurlow's memory may be made to the Woodstock Athletic Fund, c/o Pam House, Summit Road, Bryant Pond, Maine 04219.

IRENE DAMON

Irene Damon of South Woodstock died unexpectedly late Thursday evening, Sept. 18, 1986, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, shortly after arrival by ambulance.

She was born in West Paris, July 14, 1929, the daughter of Lewis E. and Lucy J. Everett Estes and received her education in the West Paris schools. She was a homemaker and had lived in West Paris until moving to South Woodstock 18 months ago.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Janetelle Pierce of South Woodstock, Mrs. Sylvia Wilson of Bryant Pond, Mrs. Roxanne Mullen of Bryant Pond, and Miss Sherry Damon of West Paris; one son, Staff Sgt. Fenton Damon of Havelock, N.C.; and four grandchildren.

Graveside funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Wayside Cemetery, West Paris, with Pastor Ben Davis officiating.

On Sunday, Oct. 5, plan to enter the Couples Club championship (gross and net division); 10 a.m., putting contest; 11 a.m., Scotch ball (9 or 18 holes, depending on weather). Sign up in pro shop.

Congratulations to John Morton who won the 1986 club championship by defeating Jim Lunney, 2+1, in a 36 hole final match.

Also to Dick Rasor for his first flight club championship defeating runner-up Tom Morton, 3+2.

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NEWS FROM BETHEL AREA**Health Center****Flu Clinics**

The Bethel Area Health Center again will be holding flu clinics in Bethel, Bryant Pond, and Andover.

The first one in Bethel will be held on Monday, Oct. 6, from 5:30-7 p.m. at the Bethel Area Health Center. The second one in Bethel will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 7, at the senior citizens' meal site at the Methodist Church from 12:30-2 p.m.

For the convenience of Andover residents a clinic will be held on Thursday, Oct. 9, 12:30-2 p.m. at the First Congregational Church.

In the village of Bryant Pond there will be a clinic held on Friday, Oct. 3, from 12:30-2 p.m. at the Woodstock Town Hall.

Because the cost of the vaccine has increased, the charge for a flu shot will be \$7.

Some people should check with a doctor before taking the influenza vaccine:

- Those who have a fever or feel ill with something more serious than a cold.
- Those who have received another type of vaccine in the past 2 weeks.
- Those with allergies to eggs.
- Those with multiple sclerosis or other personal neurological illness.

• Those who are pregnant.

The Northern Oxford Health and Service Council will provide flu shots for those who are needy and do not have Medicaid coverage. Flu shots are covered by Medicaid.

Bethel Inn golf

Sunday Scramble results: (31), Bren Matthews, Irv Farrar, Harold Munzner; (33), Pete Mathews, Norton Brooks, Mark Brooks; (36), John Morton, Amy Farrar, Bob Demers.

On Saturday, Sept. 27, Tee times should be made in advance by anyone wanting to play golf. Please call the pro shop in advance.

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THE DRIVER OF THIS SEMI WAS KILLED Monday morning when the truck was unable to negotiate the turn at the foot of Merrifield Hill, in Bryant Pond. The truck, owned by Currier Transport, of Gorham, N.H., left the road and rolled over, killing driver David W. Barrington, 37, of Rumford. The deceased was one of the workers terminated by Boise Cascade and had been working for the trucking company only a week. He was dead when Tri-Town Rescue arrived on the scene, shortly after the state police, Firefighters, road crews, and wrecking units from Greenwood, Woodstock and South Paris worked until evening to remove the tractor trailer and its 43,000 pounds of wood chips.

Bryant Pond

By ALICE HOYT

Mr. and Mrs. James Knights have returned home from a trip to New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward Island, Canada.

Franklin Grange #124 met on Monday, Sept. 18, for visiting officers night. Officers were as follows: Master, Louis Marcotte; Overseer, Larry Billings; Lecturer, Mildred O'Bleness; Steward, Herbert Stevens; Assistant Steward, Paul Billings; Lady Assistant Steward, Charlotte Cole; Chaplain, Joyce Hoyt; Secretary, Gail Butterfield; Treasurer, Peter Hammond; Gatekeeper, Robert Day; Ceres, Lucy Robbins; Flora, Olive Risko; Pomona, Florence Gustafson; Executive Committee, Ruth and Glenn Chute, and Harold Caswell; CWA, Alice Hoyt, Verna Swan, Lettie Brooks; Planit, Dot Canwell. The program was as follows: song by all; slides of United

States trip, by Glenn Chute; songs, Harry Boyer; closing song by all; closing thought, Alice Hoyt. Thirty-four were present. The next meeting on Oct. 16 will be Youth Night and a tasting party.

Callers of Beatrice Farmur on Monday in observance of her birthday were Charlotte Cole, Helen Chase and Vera Cross, Leatrice and John Chase and Crystal, Locke Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevens, Keith, Jenny and Danny, Mr. and Mrs. David Crockett and Ray, Bethel; Ruth Dunham and Helen Ring.

Sunday a family dinner was held at Mr. and Mrs. John Chase's to celebrate Crystal Chase's and Beatrice Farmur's birthdays. Present were Mr. and Mrs. John Chase, Crystal and Andrew, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevens, Keith, Jenny and David, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoyt, James Hoyt, and Mr. and Mrs. David Crockett and Ray, and Beatrice Farmur.

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